



**THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

Paul-Andre Lavoie et al.

Appln. No.: 10/668,937

Filed: September 23, 2003

For: POSITIVE ELECTRODE FILMS FOR  
ALKALI METAL POLYMER BATTERIES  
AND METHOD FOR MAKING SAME

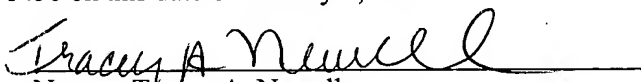
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, please enter the following Preliminary Amendment.

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

On page 1, after the title, please delete: This application is a continuation of application Ser. No. 10/382,539 filed March 7, 2003 and add the following: